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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tian-Qiang Sung et al.  
Application No. : 09/919,585  
Filed : July 30, 2001  
For : ISOLATION OF DROSOPHILA AND HUMAN POLYNUCLEOTIDES  
ENCODING PAR-1 KINASE, POLYPEPTIDES ENCODED BY THE  
POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND METHODS UTILIZING THE  
POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND POLYPEPTIDES

Examiner : Richard G. Hutson  
Art Unit : 1652  
Docket No. : 59516-147/PP-16093.002  
Date : November 21, 2003

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AMENDMENT

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Communication dated October 15, 2003, please extend the period of time for response one month to expire on December 15, 2003. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the required fee. Please amend the application as shown on the attached pages.